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**PATENT APPLICATION**

Applicants: **Frank MULLER, Franciscus N. RUIJS**

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Examiner: **Scott S. TROTTER**

Title: **METHOD FOR USING AN ELECTROMAGNETIC SCRATCHCARD TO  
PROVIDE SERVICES**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

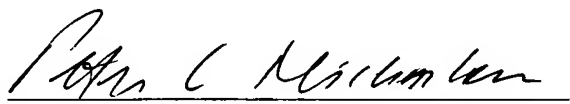
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Respectfully submitted,

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